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To:

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It is with great regret and a heavy heart that I am informing you of my resignation from the Board of Directors of the National Rifle Association of America, the NRA Foundation, Hunter's Leadership Forum, and all NRA committees on which I am currently seated, effective immediately.

At this time, it is necessary for me to fully focus on my businesses. I owe that to my employees, our partners, my family, and myself. Since proudly agreeing to serve on the NRA Board, I have supported the organization and its important mission to preserve and protect our Constitutional rights. But when, as now, I am no longer able to be fully engaged in any commitment I have made, it becomes time for me to step down. I have reached that point in my ability to continue to serve the NRA. As such, I must resign.

It has been an honor to represent the millions of NRA Members. I am proud of the NRA's commitment in defending our Second Amendment rights and hunting/shooting education.

My hope is that the NRA will move forward with a focus on its important mission of defending the Constitutional rights of law-abiding citizens as provided in the Second Amendment, promoting firearm and hunting safety, enhancing our shooting sports, and educating the general public about firearms.

Rest assured that I will still be supporting many hunting and conservation initiatives that are near and dear to me. Of course, I will also continue my work to defend our Second Amendment however possible, which I support with all my heart.

Sincerely,



Richard Childress